ANNUAL REPORT

1963

ANCHOR STEEL & CONVEYOR COMPANY



YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

Staff

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Ted Hegelman Sales Manager	E. Bruce Mumford Sales Engineer	MIKE MICHAELS Sales Engineer
John W. Kostyo Sales Engineer	C. Douglas Smith Merchandise Sales	R. Bruce Preble Sales Engineer and Product Development
Ade Czarnecki Chief Engineer	Philip Peters Chief Electrical Engineer	WENDELL LOSEY Sales Engineer
Wm. Sedor Manufacturing Manager	THANE GILLESPIE Shop Superintendent	HARRY VANCORE Shop Superintendent
HAROLD QUINN Director of Purchases	William Webster Office Manager	GEORGE GARRISH Chief Estimator
	Directors	
John P. O'Hara	Harry Garland	HENRY J. BEAM
Marshall I. Brenner		F. WILLIAM SHUDE
F. G. LeVeque		Frank P. Hastings
ARTHUR B. PFLEIDERER		KARL R. CRAWFORD

Officers

JOHN P. O'HARA	Chairman of the Board
HARRY GARLAND	President
Marshall I. Brenner	$. {\it Vice-President} \ and \ {\it General} \ {\it Manager}$
F. WILLIAM SHUDE	Secretary
HAROLD A. RIETH	

General Offices

6906 Kingsley Avenue, Dearborn, Michigan

Transfer Agent

Auditors

THE DETROIT BANK AND TRUST COMPANY DETROIT, MICHIGAN

Ernst & Ernst Detroit, Michgan

ANCHOR STEEL & CONVEYOR COMPANY

To the Stockholders of Anchor Steel & Conveyor Company:

The financial report of your Company for the year ending December 31, 1963 is submitted herein, together with the report of Ernst & Ernst, Certified Public Accountants.

Net sales for the year were \$7,455,225 compared with \$5,320,648 in 1962.

In our 1962 year end statement, your management indicated that a number of changes and operational improvements were contemplated. These factors, coupled with an improved market and increased volume has produced a very gratifying profit return for 1963. As a result of this we have entered 1964 in a healthier financial position than we have enjoyed for a number of years. Net profit after taxes benefited approximately \$83,000 from tax carry forwards resulting from prior year losses. This carry forward has now been exhausted.

The expanding level of capital spending in the National economy, the excellent position of your Company in our industry, and the continuing demand for our products creates a sense of optimism for the future. However, it should always be borne in mind that this is a contract business and historically cyclical and therefore long range forecasts can be subject to many unpredictable factors.

Our backlog of business entering 1964 was approximately \$1,500,000. This backlog and new business booked since the year end indicates that the Company should be operating at capacity through 1964 with expectation of a profitable result.

For the Board of Directors,

HARRY GARLAND

President

ANCHOR STEEL &

Balance Sheet.. December 31, 1963

Assets

Current Assets	
Cash	\$ 238,643
Accounts receivable, less allowance of \$5,000	648,813
Cost of work performed on uncompleted contracts, less billings	
of \$253,800—Note A	327,070
Inventory—at lower of first-in, first-out cost or market	244,362
Prepaid expenses	32,258
Total Current Assets	\$1,491,146
PROPERTY, PLANT, AND EQUIPMENT—on basis of cost	
Land \$ 30,914	
Buildings and improvements	
Machinery and equipment	
\$791,140	
Less allowances for depreciation	430,028
	\$1,921,174
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CONVEYOR COMPANY

Statement of Operations and Retained Earnings

Year ended December 31, 1963

Billings on contracts completed during the year and sales of service parts—Note A	\$7,455,225 41,609 \$7,496,834
Costs and expenses, including provision of \$38,602 for depreciation of plant and equipment:	ψ1,190,001
Cost of completed contracts and service parts sold \$6,127,817	
Selling and administrative expenses	
Interest expense	6,733,304
EARNINGS BEFORE INCOME TAXES	\$ 763,530
Federal income taxes—Note B	300,000
Net Earnings	\$ 463,530
Retained earnings at January 1, 1963	56,742
RETAINED EARNINGS AT DECEMBER 31, 1963	\$ 520,272

Notes to Financial Statements

- NOTE A—It is the policy of the Company to recognize profits on contracts only upon completion but to recognize losses as soon as they become apparent.
- NOTE B—The Company's federal income tax returns have been examined by the Internal Revenue Service through 1961. Federal income taxes for 1963 have been reduced approximately \$83,000 by carry-forward of prior year operating losses.
- NOTE C—Effective March 1, 1963, the Company established a pension plan for certain hourly-rated employees. The annual cost of the plan is approximately \$21,000, including the funding over a thirty-year period of the past-service liability, which, at December 31, 1963, approximated \$200,000.

The Company has a profit-sharing plan for its salaried employees. No contribution was required to this plan for 1963, because of cumulative loss carry-overs.

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ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT

Board of Directors Anchor Steel & Conveyor Company Dearborn, Michigan

We have examined the financial statements of Anchor Steel & Conveyor Company for the year ended December 31, 1963. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, the accompanying balance sheet and statements of operations and retained earnings present fairly the financial position of Anchor Steel & Conveyor Company at December 31, 1963, and the results of its operations for the year then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

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Detroit, Michigan February 27, 1964

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